

**ALABAMA BEND FIELD**

**10-160**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2010**, upon the application of **PETROHAWK OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Alabama Bend Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish two (2) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, to be designated HA RA SUS and HA RA SUT, as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To redefine the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, INsofar AND ONLY INsofar as HA RA SUS and HA RA SUT, are concerned, as the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 10,305' and 12,620' (electrical log measurements) in the Questar Exploration and Production Company-Sustainable Forests 28 No. 1 Well, located in the Northwest Quarter of Northwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 15 North, Range 9 West.
3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests located within the proposed units for the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate unit wells and unit operators, as appropriate.
5. To provide that with respect to horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in or to serve the proposed units, where the horizontal lateral portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary or offset well will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus.
6. Except to the extent inconsistent herewith, to extend the pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1490-C, effective December 9, 2008, and all applicable Statewide Orders, to the additional units for the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 1490-C, effective December 9, 2008, and is to be redefined INsofar AND ONLY INsofar as HA RA SUS and HA RA SUT are concerned, as provided herein.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

<http://dnr.louisiana.gov/conshearings>

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH  
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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